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Subject: Your papers; MBL programs

Thank you for your msg., and that of a fortnight ago. The prints came in, and I've enjoyed my first perusal -- I'm taking notes for a more considered reply.

I will be writing up my talk at MBL, but all I have now are rough notes. I went over the concept of genetic maps (of all kinds) in a historical framework, but more on why we make them and what we think they mean. I'll copy you when I do have a text.

About developmental biology, it would be great if S. K. really has made the contribution you describe. Do you want to try another mathematician? : Mitchell Feigenbaum on nonlinear systems, works here at RU -- is interested in biology, but makes no claims.

The dev-biol you want is Gerald Edelman. His work on "CAMs" in embryology is as important as he makes out.